Welcome to WinPond Training



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User's Guide for WinPond

The Missouri NRCS web site contains a link to the WinPond 2007 User Guide and a FAQ page:

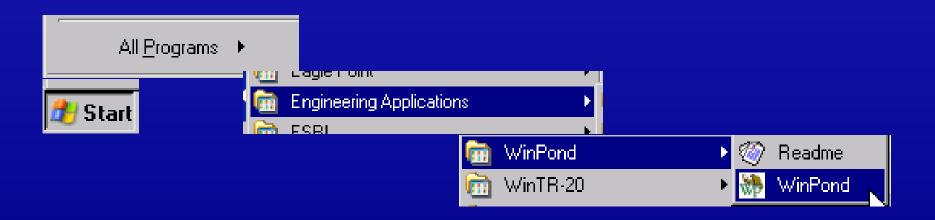
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Starting WinPond

Start -> All Programs ->
Engineering Applications ->
WinPond -> WinPond



Main Program Window



"File"



"File"

Project data is stored in 1 single file instead of separate ones.

The single file has a PRJ extension (e.g., Project123.prj)

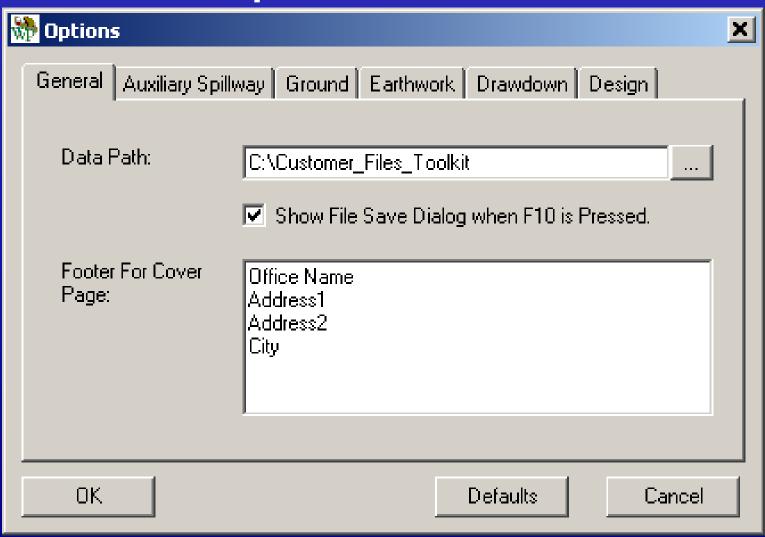
"Tools" and "Options"



"Help"



Tools -> Options

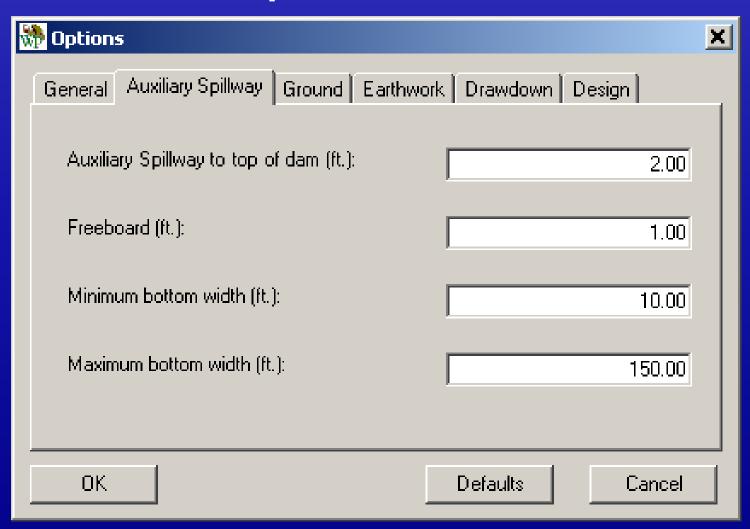


Tools -> Options

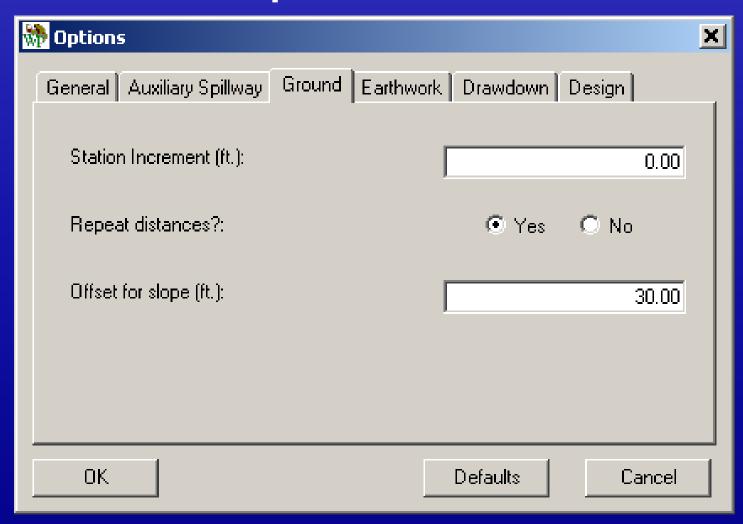
The settings entered here are stored in a file named *WinPond.conf* in the folder

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Example -
c:\Documents and Settings
   \user.name\Local Settings
   \Application Data\USDA, NRCS\WinPond\
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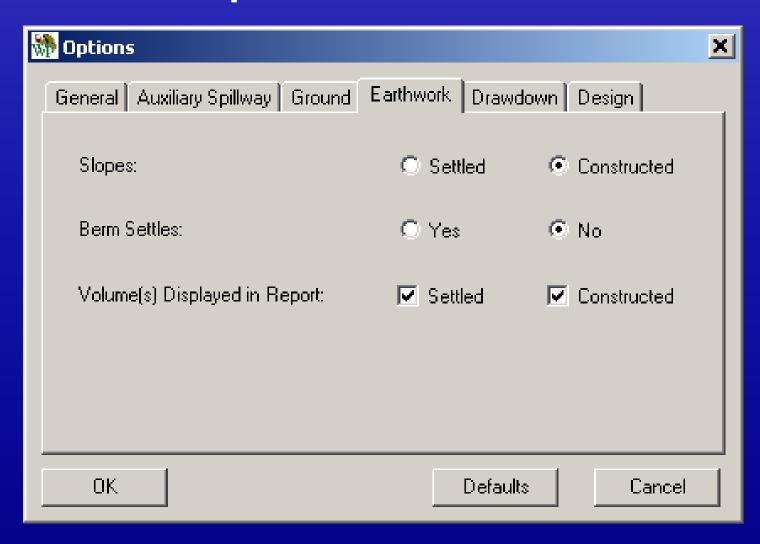
Tools -> Options (Aux. Spillway)



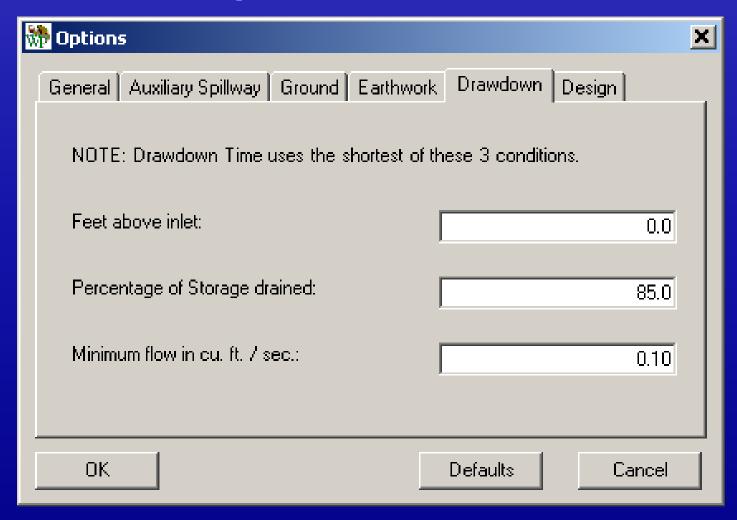
Tools -> Options (Ground)



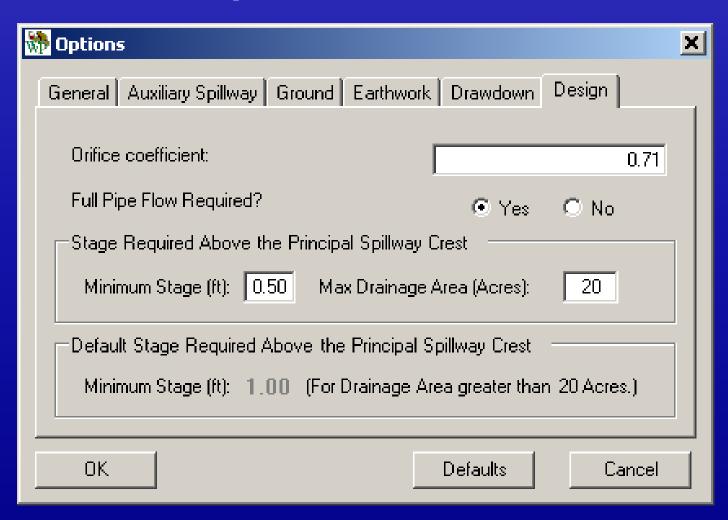
Tools -> Options (Earthwork)



Tools -> Options (Drawdown)



Tools -> Options (Design)



Exercise

Load WinPond and enter your own option settings.

WinPond window

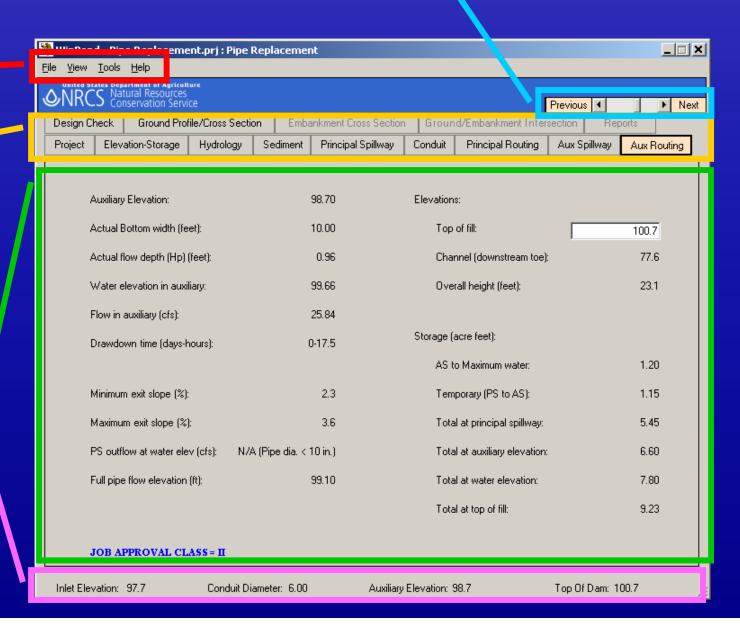
Tab navigation

Menu

Screen Tabs

Input Data

Info Line



There are some data inputs (e.g., state, county, and designed by) that most user's would like to come up as defaults whenever they begin a new project.

This can be accomplished by creating a "default" project.

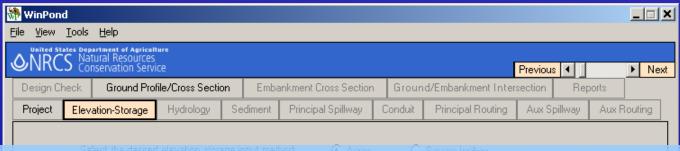
The first step is to select "File -> New"



The next step is to go through the screen tabs entering data for those fields that are fairly constant from design to design.

Examples?

State, county, designer; Rainfall frequencies for principal and aux. spillways; Front slope, back slope, top width;



Elevation-storage data is normally data that will change from design to design. Data on this screen is therefore not a good candidate for a default template. To leave it blank and move to the next tab you will need to click on

I am making a template project.



Once you have entered all the data you want in your "default" project template, select "File -> Save As..." and save the project to *default.prj* in the default data path entered under Tools -> Options (for example,

C:\Customer_Files_Toolkit)

Exercise

Create a "default" template.

Start a new project

Simply select
"File -> New"



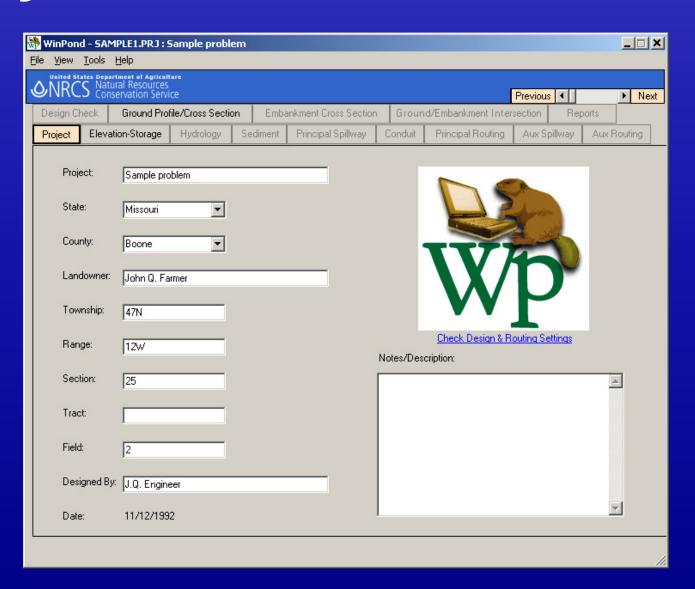
Data from your default project should then be loaded.

Tips on entering data

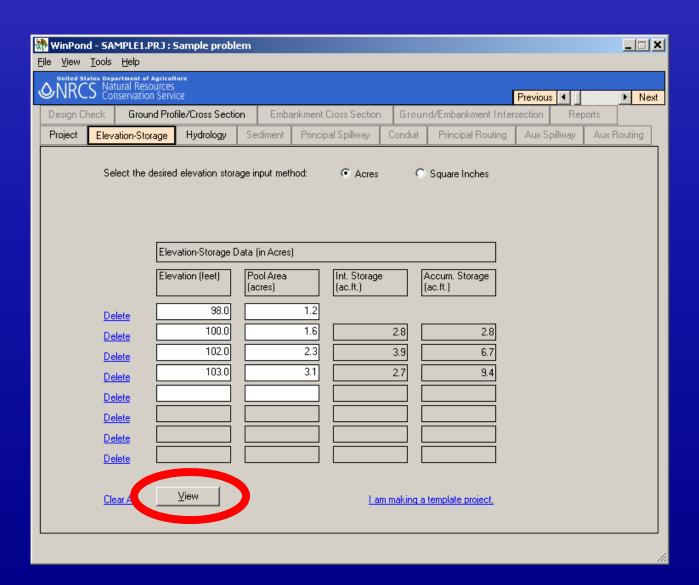
Before you get started, keep these in mind:

- . ENTER key preferred way to move between fields, rather than clicking with the mouse.
- . TAB key can also use to move between fields but with no scrolling
- . Shift + TAB moves cursor to the previous field
- . Delete or Backspace use to delete characters in the input field

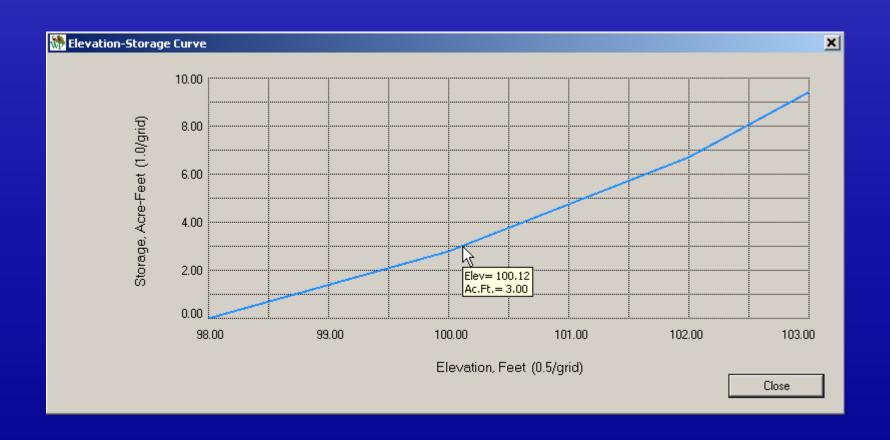
Project tab



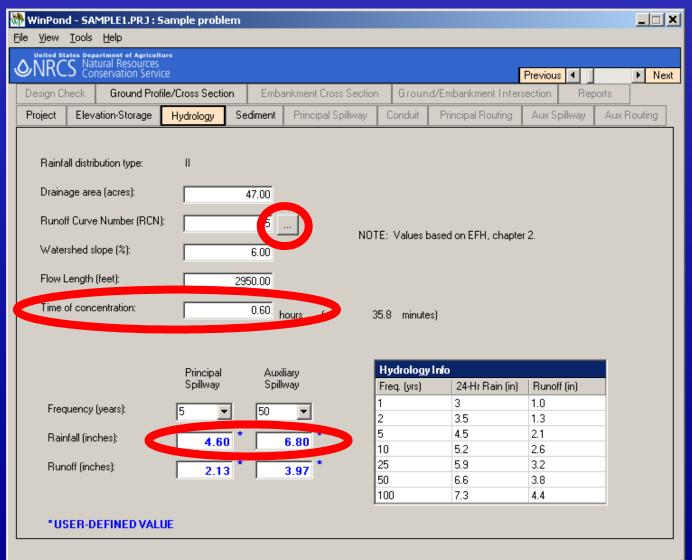
Elevation-Storage tab



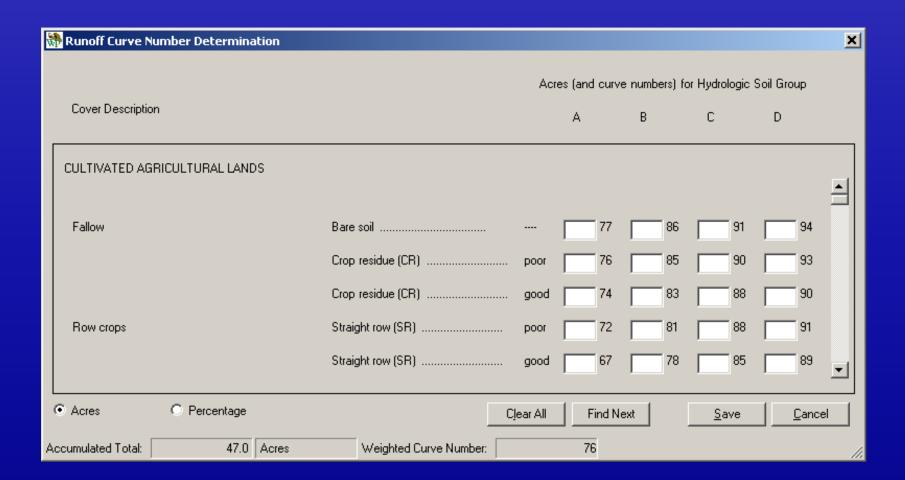
Elevation-Storage Curve



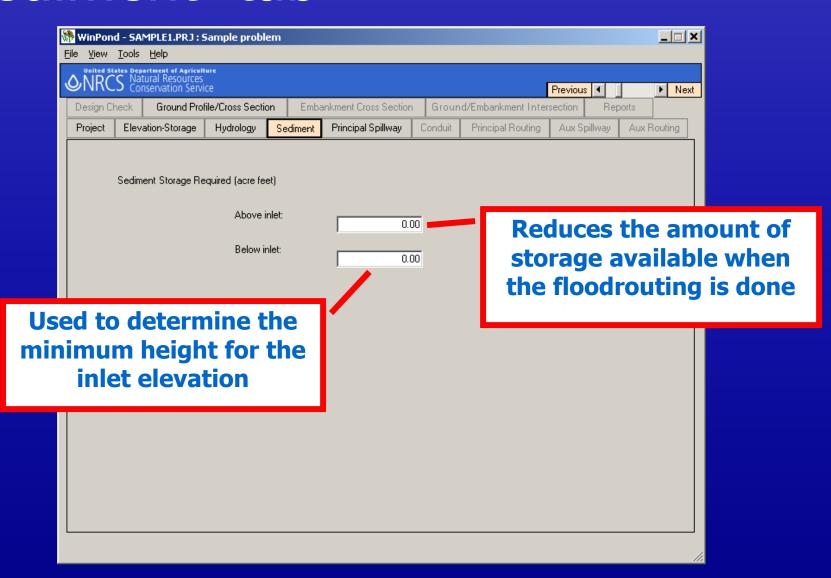
Hydrology tab



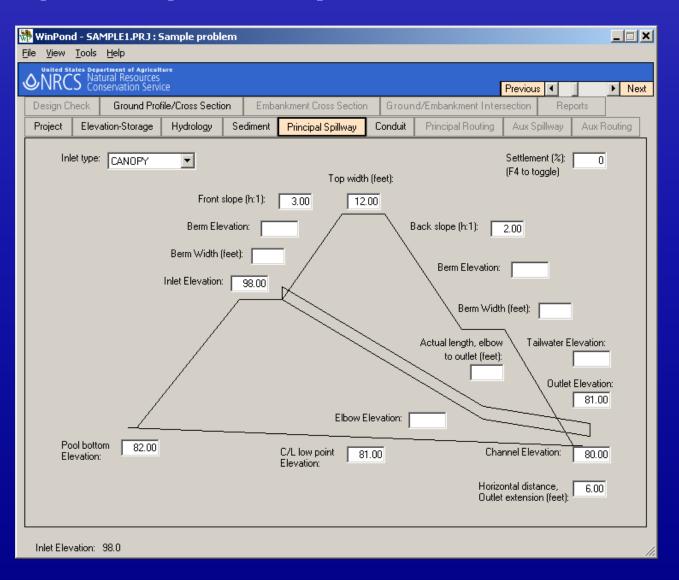
Runoff Curve Number Determination



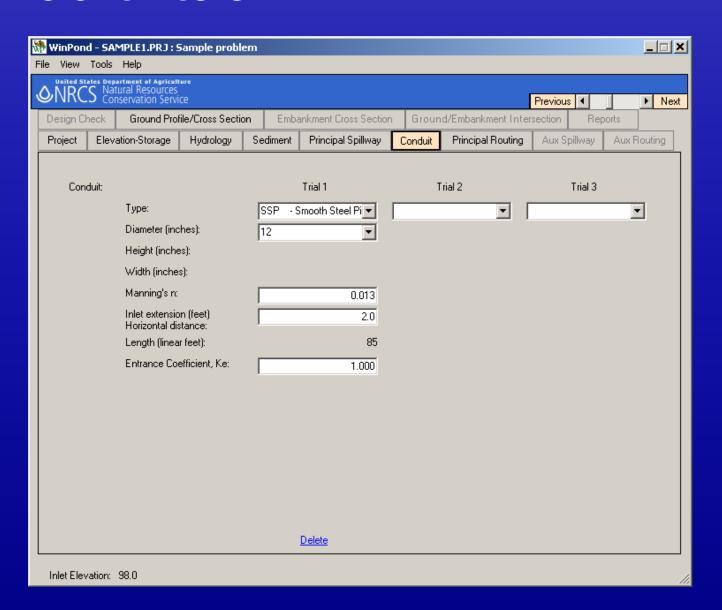
Sediment tab



Principal Spillway tab



Conduit tab

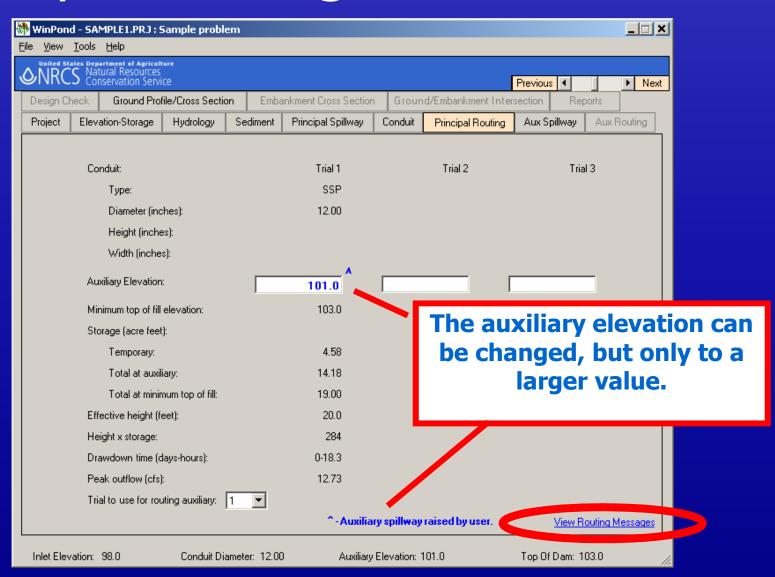


Floodrouting

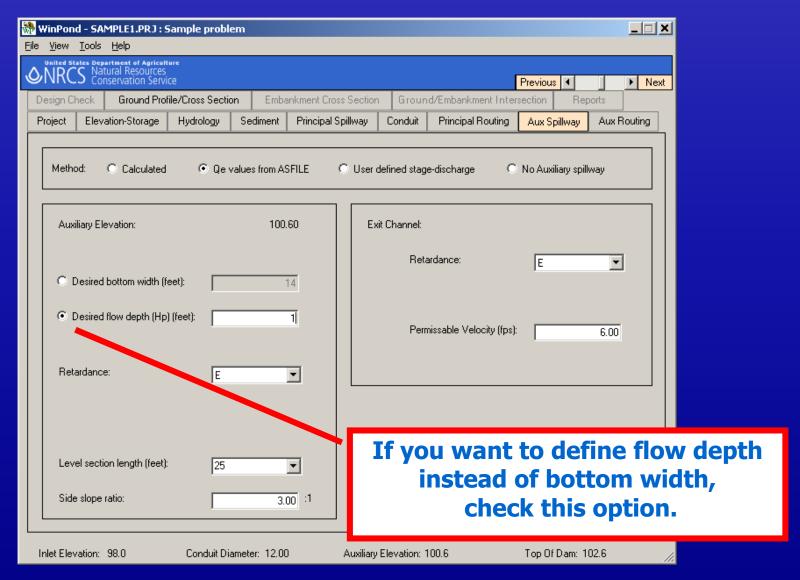
When done with the
Conduit tab and
you press the
Principal Routing tab,
the floodrouting for the
principal spillway occurs.
An alert window will
appear if there are any
problems.



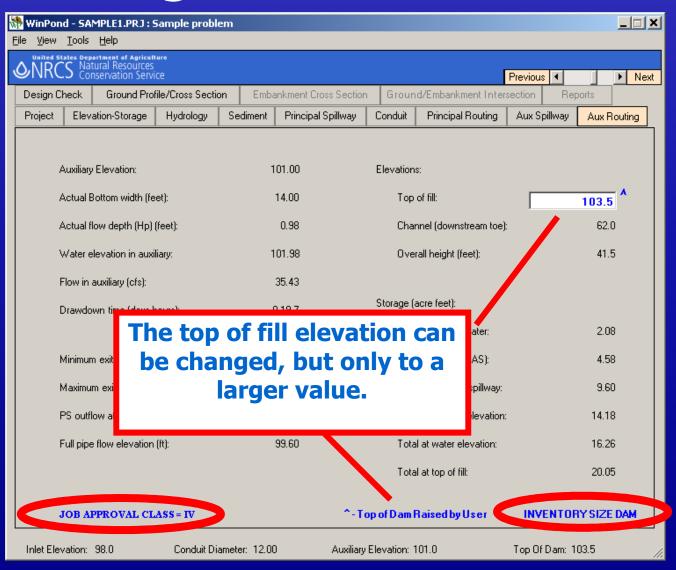
Principal Routing tab



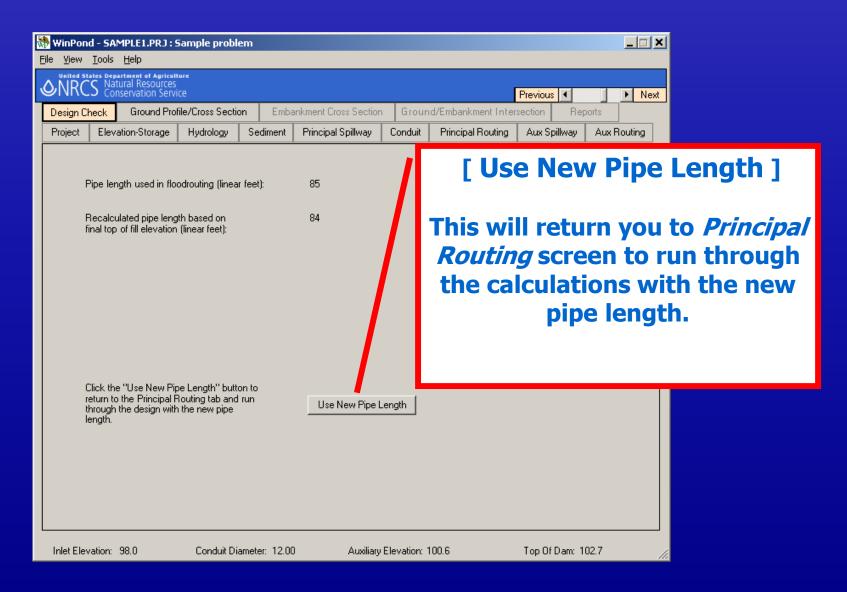
Aux Spillway tab



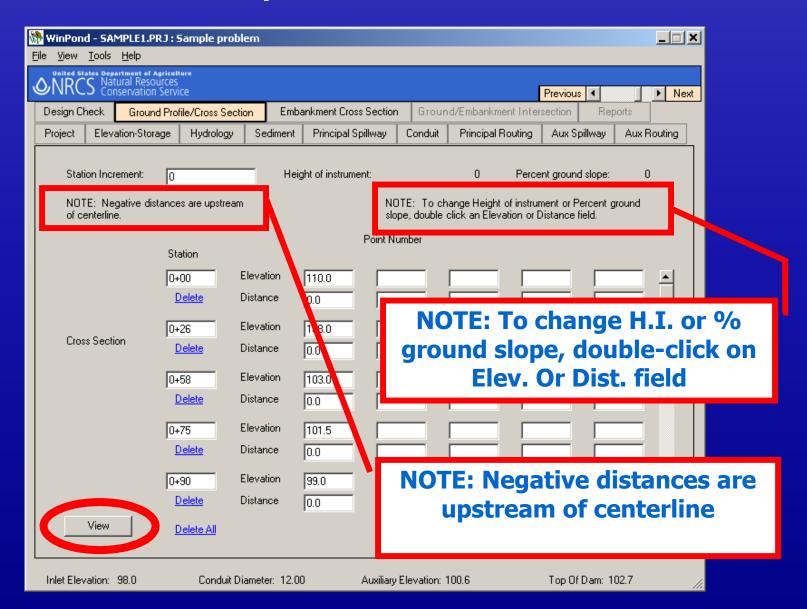
Aux Routing tab



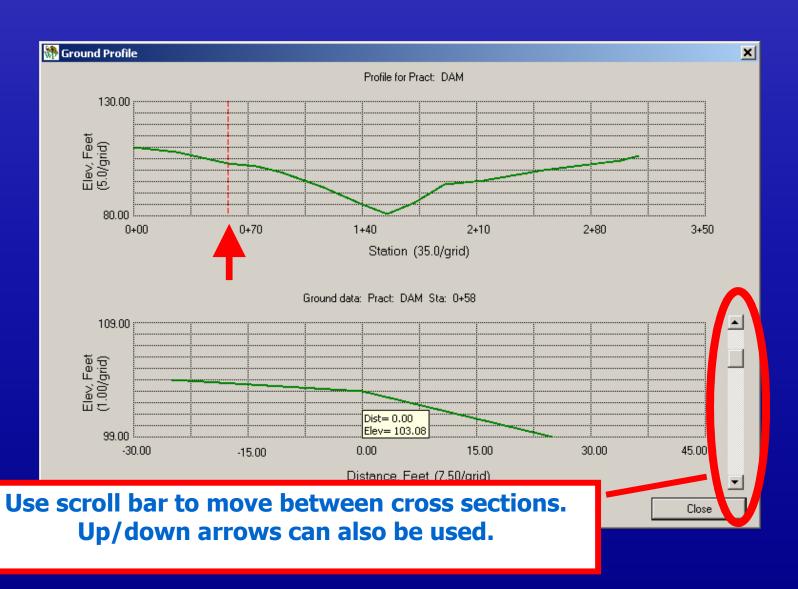
Design Check tab



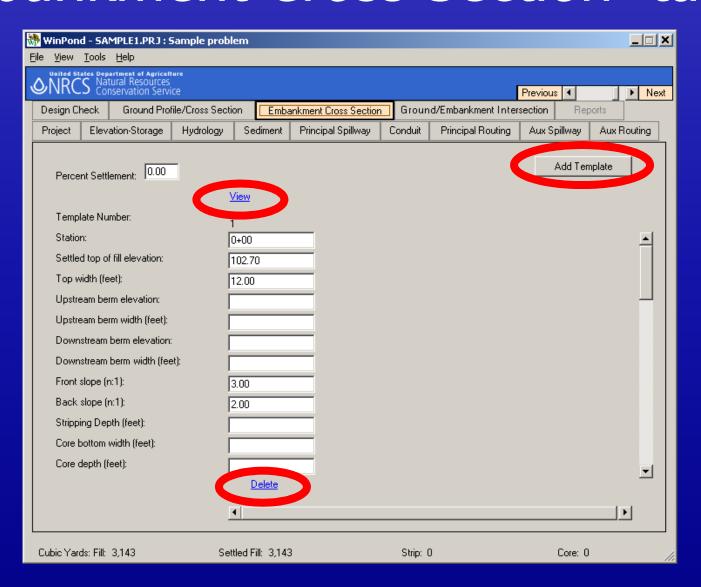
Ground Profile/Cross Section tab



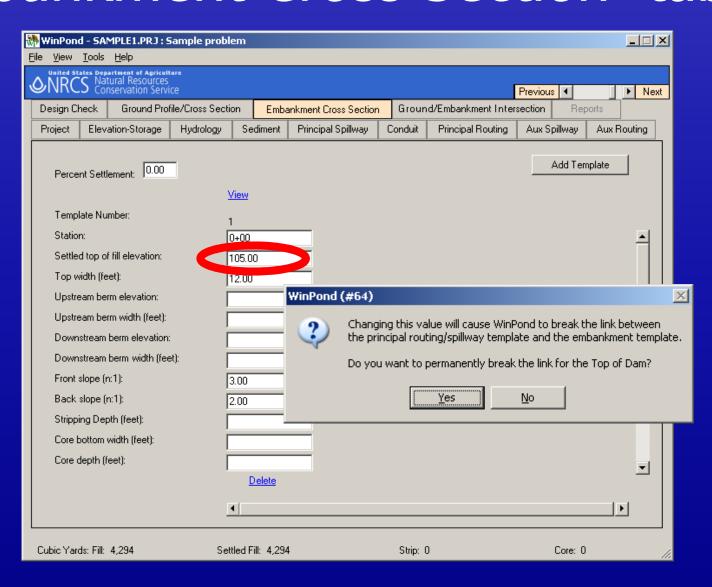
Ground Profile view



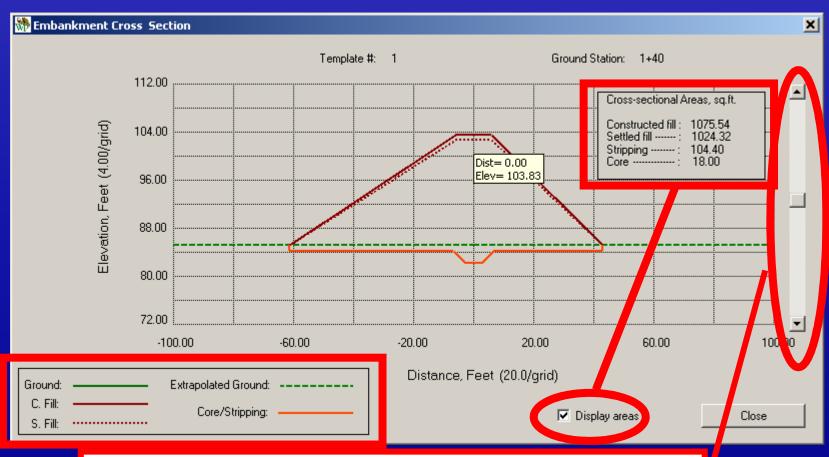
Embankment Cross Section tab



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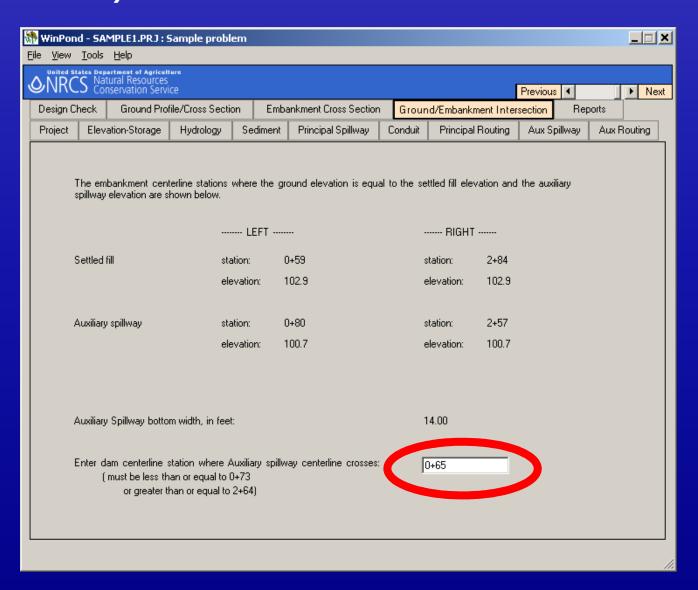


Embankment Cross Section view

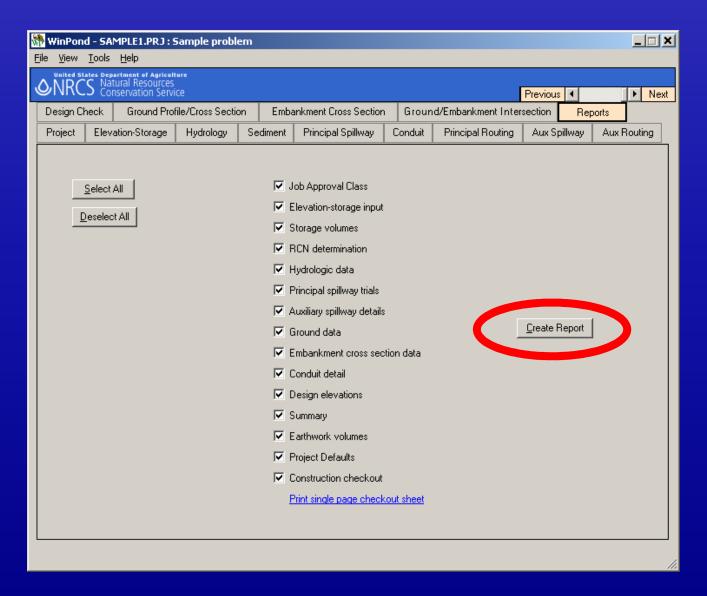


Use scroll bar to move between cross sections. Up/down arrows can also be used.

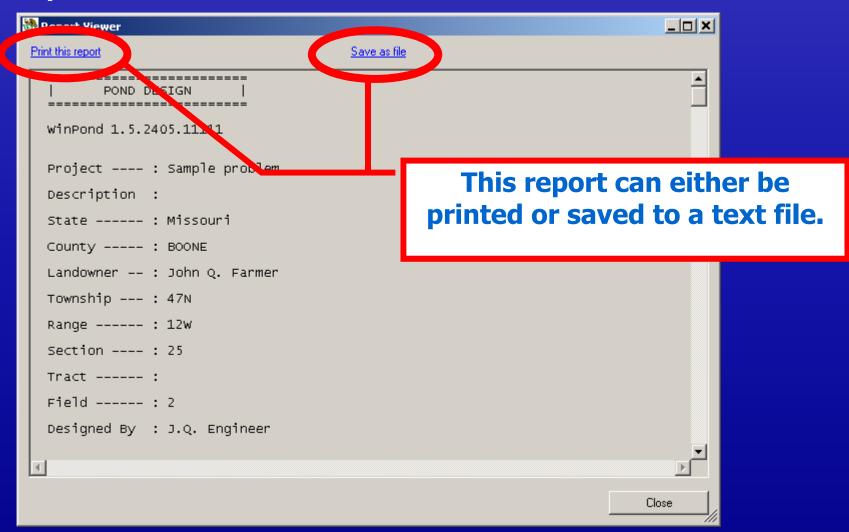
Ground/Embankment Intersection tab



Reports tab



Report Viewer



Example report showing Job Class & Inventory Size

****** JOB APPROVAL	CLASS *******	*********	* *
Hazard Class Effective Height Effective Storage Overall Height	Low Feet Ac-Ft Feet	A 19.5 13.2 42.7	
Total Storage Storage X Effective Height Contributing Drainage Area Contributing Drainage Area Pipe Conduit Capacity	Ac-Ft Ac-Ft Ft Acres Square Miles CFS	18.1 258 47 0.07 15.8	
Open Channel Spillway Design Flow Peak Inflow Aux Spillway Design Storm Conduit Inside Diameter Conduit Material Inlet Type Job Approval Class	CFS CFS Inches	52.0 139.2 12 SSP Canopy IV	
INVENTORY SIZE DAM			

Engineering Job Class

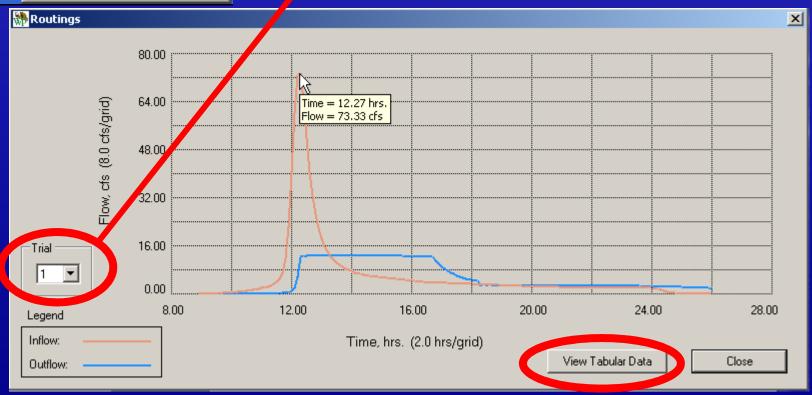
Inventory Size

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Inlet type: CANOPY
                                     - Smooth Steel Pipe
 CONDUIT: Type -----
          Diameter, in. ---
          Length, lin. ft.-
                                  134 Extends 6 ft. beyond dnstr.toe
         : Elevation -----
                                 100.5
          Bottom width, ft.
                                   14
          Hp, flow depth,ft.
                                  1.17
          Exit slope, % min.
 Effective height, ft. ----
                                  19.5 = AS elev. - low pt. on C/L
 Height x storage -----
 Overall height, ft. -----
                                  42.7 = Stld. fill elev - chan. elev
                              ****** INVENTORY SIZE DAM
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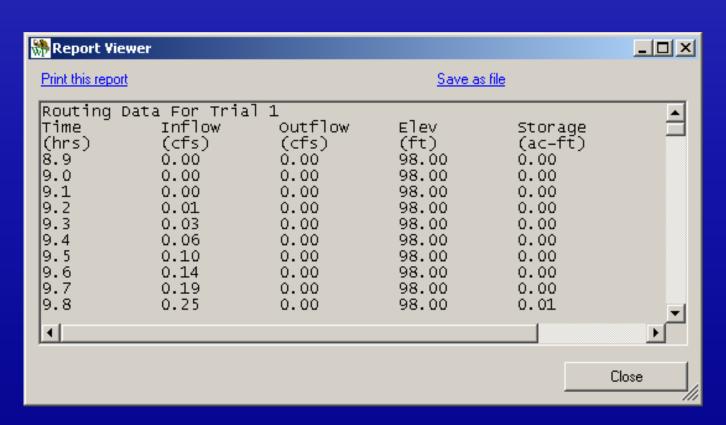
Viewing Principal and Auxiliary Routings



On Principal Routing View, change the Trial number to view other trials (if applicable).



Viewing Principal and Auxiliary Routings Tabular Data



Saving your data

Select "File -> Save" or "File -> Save As" or press F10



Problems?

- WinPond Version 1.7 has fixed many of the "issues" found in previous versions
- A WinPond FAQ can be found at http://www.nrcs.usda.gov/wps/portal/nrcs/detail/mo/about/?cid=nrcs144p2_0
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- Any problems found in this new version will be placed here along with the problems that existed in version 1.7
- If you find any problems in version 1.7, use the link at the bottom of the FAQ page to report them.

Practice time

Review exercises

Questions?

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